

Religious Notices.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. H. W. Ballantine, Pastor. Public worship on the Sabbath at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Sunday-School prayer-meeting, Sabbath, at 7 P. M. Weekly prayer-meeting, Thursday, at 7.45 P. M.

FRIST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. Ezra D. S. Jones, Pastor. Sunday services: Preaching at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday-school at 12 M. The Lord's Supper on the first Sabbath of each month, close of morning service. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Young People's meeting, Tuesday evening at 7.45 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. Albert Mann, Jr., Pastor. Sunday services: Preaching at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday-school at 12 M. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7.45 P. M. Class meeting, Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7.45 o'clock.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Fromont Street, corner Franklin. Rev. S. W. Duffield, Pastor. Sabbath services, 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday school, 12 M. Weekly prayer meeting at 8 o'clock each Thursday evening, in Chapel parlor.

CHRIST CHURCH (Episcopal).—Liberty street. Rev. W. G. Duffield, D. D., Rector. Morning service, 10.30 o'clock. Second service, 7.30 P. M. except first Sunday in month, when it is at 3.45 P. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M.

HOPE CHURCH.—Sunday school every Sabbath at 3.30 P. M. John G. Broughton, Superintendent.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART.—Rev. J. M. Nardiello, Pastor. First mass, 8.30 A. M. High mass, 10.30 A. M. Vespers, 3 P. M. Sunday school, 2.30 P. M.

BERKELEY UNION SABBATH SCHOOL.—Held in Berkeley School-house, Bloomfield avenue, every Sunday at 3 P. M. John A. Skinner, Superintendent. All are welcome.

WATKINSVILLE M. E. CHURCH.—Rev. J. K. Egbert, Pastor. Sunday services: Preaching, 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday school, 2.30 P. M. Class meeting Tuesday evening at 8 P. M. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 P. M. Children's class for religious instruction Saturday at 3 P. M.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—(Watkinson.) Rev. James F. Fancion, Rector. Service, Sunday 10.45 A. M., 7.45 P. M. Sunday school, at 9.30 A. M. Seats free. All are invited.

GERMAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. John M. Enslin, Pastor. Hours of service, 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday school, 2 P. M. Prayer meeting, Tuesday evening, at 7.45.

REFORMED CHURCH (Brookdale).—Rev. William G. E. See, Pastor. Sabbath service 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday school, 9 A. M. E. G. Day, Superintendent. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

SILVER LAKE.—Sabbath school held every Sunday, in the hall, at 3 P. M. Mr. Herbert Smith, Superintendent. Gospel meeting every Sabbath evening at 7.30 o'clock. Prayer and Conversational meeting, Wednesday evening.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—(Bloomfield Ave.)—Sunday services: Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Rev. Mr. Farr. Sabbath school 3 P. M. E. A. Smith, Sup't. Preaching 7.30 P. M. Rev. J. H. Cooley.

UNION NORMAL CLASS.—Rev. F. B. Pullan, leader. The Normal Class will meet Wednesday at 8 P. M. in the Sunday-school room of the First Presbyterian Church, for the purpose of studying the Sunday School lesson for the next Sabbath. All interested in the study of the Scriptures will be cordially welcomed.

LITERARY NOTES.

—Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons have lately published, in a pretty little volume, Verses by Anson D. F. Randolph. Mr. Randolph is one of the few American publishers, who, like the late Mr. James Thomas Fields, and like the late Mr. Ed. D. Appleton, have cultivated the muse, who has not proven, so far as they are concerned, the thankless muse. Mr. Randolph's verse is simple, and unstudied, finding its inspiration in the incidents of daily life, in love, friendship, death, and in earnest religious feeling. It differentiates itself from the verse of the period by its want of art, and its plain, straightforward sincerity. A sample of it, selected at random from the seventy little poems which form the collection, will indicate its quality as well as a column of criticism:

OUTWARD BOUND.

I sit and watch the ships go out
Across the widening sea,
How one by one, in shimmering sun,
They sail away from me,
I know not to what lands they sail,
Nor what the freight they bear;
I only know they outward go,
While all the winds are fair.

Beyond the low horizon line
Where my short sight must fail,
Some other eyes a watch will keep,
Where'er the ships may sail;
By night, by day, or near, or far,
O'er narrow seas or wide,
These follow still, at love's sweet will,
Whatever may betide.

So round the world the ships will sail,
To dreary lands or fair;
So with them go, for weal or woe,
Some dear ones everywhere.
How will there speed each lagging keel,
When homeward it is laid;
Or watch will keep, o'er surges deep,
If there a grave be made!

O human love, so tried, so true,
That knows not me nor bond,
But follows with unweary watch
Our daily changing round!
O love divine, O love supreme,
What matter whether I sail,
So I but know, where'er I go,
Thy watch will never fail!

—The Marquis de Lorne, Col. Ingersoll, Millionaires Astor and Carnegie, an Irish Member of Parliament elect, John Boyle O'Reilly, Cassius M. Clay, Sir John Mac Donald, and Frank B. Sanborn have articles in the January number of the North American Review.

—It is a pleasure to note that Cushing's "Initials and Pseudonyms" is meeting with hearty recognition in England. Sampson Low & Co. have ordered two hundred copies for the English market, and we predict the order will be duplicated. It is a most useful work, for literary students.

—Over 5,000 distinct pieces of music were published in Germany last year, of which 51 were for instrumental bands, 400 for single stringed instruments, 111 for single wind instruments, 2,395 for pianoforte, 220 for zither, 85 for organ, 53 for harmonium, 10 for harp, 10 for guitar, and 9 for children's musical instruments. The balance is accounted for by 1,862 vocal compositions of all kinds.

—Mr. Davenport Adams has gone wide of his former class of literary productions, in giving an account of the most famous caves and cave temples in the world. The book is called "Famous Caves and Cata-

combs." There are numerous illustrations.

—In the opening number of "Notes and Queries," for 1886, will appear the first of a series of papers intended as a contribution to a history of the Thames. It will also give new views upon the condition and population of England previous to the Roman occupation, and other kindred matters.

—Thomas Y. Crowell & Co. publish the best American edition of "Her Majesty's Tower." The work is the result of twenty years' research and painstaking labor, bringing the records of the Tower from the earliest legendary accounts down to the story of the last prisoners confined there.

—Mr. Howells' serial story, "Indian Summer," will be concluded in the February number of Harper's Magazine. The same issue will contain an entertaining article on "The Blue Grass Region of Kentucky," by Mr. J. L. Allen and illustrated by Julian Rix, and a study of "The British Navy," by Sir Edward Reed, with illustrations by Chevalier de Martino.

—Mr. James Anthony Froude's new work, which will bear the title of "Oceana," has been completed, and will be published simultaneously in England and America during the latter part of this month. The book is an account of Mr. Froude's recent journey around the world, and will contain many interesting historical studies of the British colonies visited by him.

—What promises to be an important musical work is a thorough and careful review of the musical status of New York, now being completed by its author, Mr. H. E. Krehbiel, the present musical critic of the New York Tribune. The opera seasons in New York and what has been accomplished therein will receive special attention in this work. The book will probably not receive publication before next spring.

—The American Bookseller announces that it will continue during the coming year the printing of biographical sketches of the leading publishing houses and their chief members. Among the houses on the "rack" for early publication are the Cassells, Appleton & Co., Fords, Howard & Hulbert, Ticknor & Co., Thos. Nelson & Sons and others. Upon their completion in the Bookseller, these papers and the portraits accompanying them will be collected and issued in book form.

—The statement recently made of a growing decline in the interest attached to "editions de luxe" of great works finds no substantiation in the reception accorded such editions of recently published works. The entire edition of "A Study of Holmes' 'Last Leaf,' for example, were sold before the first volume had left the presses, and the same is true of Mr. Stedman's "Poets of America," which was exhausted a few days after its appearance. Keats' "Lamia," by Will H. Low, is a third instance, and scores of persons paid as high as \$150 for copies of the "de luxe" editions of the "Rubaiyat."

—Joaquin Miller is still annoyed by a persistent publication of the report that the play "49," now issued as a novel, was written by Mr. Rankin, the actor. Mr. Rankin claimed the authorship, but the Court decided against his claim. Mr. Miller has just written to his publishers, Messrs. Funk & Wagnalls, in reference to the reported renewal by Mr. Rankin of his claim to the authorship.

—"Selections from Canon Farrar," is the title of a timely little volume containing nearly half a hundred brief, but telling thoughts from the works of this divine. Mrs. N. V. Walker has done good literary work, and Messrs. H. H. Carter and Karriek, of Boston, have made the book attractive by the use of excellent paper and clear type. The face of the cover displays an accurate representation of the tower of Trinity church, Boston, of which Rev. Philip Brooks is rector.

—The January number of "The Brooklyn Magazine" appears with its quota of good things. The opening article consists of a series of papers upon the subject "Should New York and Brooklyn be annexed?" Papers discussing this question are by Frederick A. Schroeder, J. S. T. Stranahan, Darwin R. James, Joshua M. Van Cott, and Joseph Nelson. "Lights and Shadows," the serial by Madeleine Vinton Dahlgren, is continued. Dr. Robert Collyer tells the story of "Saint Robert," of Kneresboro. "Building a Home" is finished, by Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, in the department that is under her special charge. A sketch of the domestic and public life of Mary Anderson is given by Lisle Lester. Agnes Carr Sage tells of "The Glad New Year," the editor also writes "Thoughts for the Year,"—each a suggestive article with which to launch into 1886. Original verse is represented by George W. Bungay and others. There is also a considerable amount of brief articles of a profitable and attractive character.

—"The Homiletic Review," Funk & Wagnalls, begins its eleventh year with January number. Always good, this magazine has continued to steadily improve with each succeeding volume. The various departments are represented by strong thinkers and able writers. The present number begins a symposium on the topic, "Has modern criticism affected unfavorably any of the essential doctrines of Christianity?" Rev. Henry J. Van

Dyke, Sr., D. D., of Brooklyn, writes the first article. The Rev. James M. Ludlow, D. D., also of Brooklyn inaugurates the symposium on the "New Theology." Other articles of interest are well-cared for. Three new features for 1886 are announced, in the prospectus, they are 1st, "Homiletics," under the editorial supervision of Professor S. M. Hoppin, author of "Homiletics," and "Pastoral Theology," 2d, "Pastoral Theology" will be under the charge of Professor W. C. Wilkinson, 3d, "Study Table" will consist of a series of papers, of a unique character, furnished by Dr. J. M. Ludlow. He proposes to give the substance of that which is rarest and of most value, to the class of readers for whom the "Homiletic" is specially intended, from books old and new, and from periodicals home and foreign.

—The Wit and Humor of Women would have been a more appropriate title to Miss Kate Sanborn's recent publication "The Wit of Women"—a subject that the author declares "has been almost utterly ignored and recognized." Miss Sanborn appears to have taken great joy and honest pride in her labor of love. She has culled from many sources of the literature of England, France and Germany, but she gives the palm to American authors. Of those women whose humor is already familiar to the average reader will be found many examples of satire, burlesque, repartee, puns, jokes also amusing sketches and stories; and not a few from authors whose acquaintance is made for the first time in this line of composition. Miss Sanborn has searched zealously and she has well done her work. The book is, of its sort, good reading and can be utilized to beguile many an otherwise weary hour. Notwithstanding all this it must yet be confessed that what Mrs. Mary Clemmer-Hudson says is true:—"A flash of wit, like a flash of lightning, can only be remembered, it cannot be reproduced. Its very marvel lies in its spontaneity and evanescence; its power is in being struck from the present. Divorced from that, the keenest representation of it seems cold and dead." The closing lines of "The Wit of Women" are by the compiler, and are in these words:—"Touched by the occasion, I 'drop into' doggerel:

If you pronounce this book not funny,
And wish you hadn't spent your money,
There soon will be a general rumor,
That you're no judge of Wit and Humor."

The volume is printed on superb paper and exquisitely bound; it has fuller and better indexes than usually found in a volume of the sort. Funk & Wagnalls, \$1.50

Startling Suicide.

Edward Heller, a brother of the Irishers who compose the firm of Heller Bros. file manufacturers, was found hanging to a tree in a woods on the Notch road, between the Upper Montclair depot of the New York and Greenwood Lake Railroad and the Great Notch, Sunday night, having committed suicide in a fit of temporary aberration of the mind.

Mr. Heller was a man about forty years of age, and was born in New York. He was employed by Heller Brothers and had a small interest in the business, but was not a member of the firm. He had been suffering with kidney disease for some time, and ever since last Spring had been subject to fits of melancholy. On New Year's Day he visited his brother Peter, who resides near the Notch. He left on the following Saturday, since which time nothing has been seen of him. Exactly when he left the house is not known, as when a member of the family went to call him to dinner he was missing. As he was in the habit of going about visiting among his relatives and going off suddenly, but little was thought of his disappearance, but as he did not return to Newark last week, his brothers grew anxious about him, and began inquiring among the relatives and found he had not been to any of them. They then began a search for him. On Sunday night Peter Heller, while searching the woods above-mentioned, came across the body of Edward Heller hanging to a tree.

Mr. Heller resided in Newark, and leaves a wife and four children. One of his brothers is Mr. Louis B. Heller, the well-known evangelist. Mrs. Heller said that last April her husband was very ill, and that after he recovered his mind was affected.

He had his life insured years ago for her benefit and decided her the house they lived in while he was perfectly sane.

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Bloomfield Savings Institution.

Abstract from Annual Report to the Secretary of State, dated January 1, 1886.

ASSETS.
Loans on Bond and Mortgage, \$63,982.22
Loans on Collateral security, 1,050.00
U. S. Bonds (market value), 19,650.00
Interest due and accrued, 8,301.85
Cash on hand and in Bank, 8,301.85
\$95,267.26

LIABILITIES.
Due Depositors, including Interest to date, 88,539.98
Surplus, \$6,727.28

The above is a true and correct statement of the condition of the Bloomfield Savings Institution on the first day of January, 1886.

JOS. K. OAKES, Vice President.
THOS. C. DODD, Treasurer.

WM. H. WHITE, M. D.
JOHN F. POLSON,
JAMES W. BALDWIN,
LEWIS K. DODD,
Auditing Committee.

Interest is credited to depositors every six months, (on the first day of January and July,) for the three and six months preceding which interest, if not withdrawn, itself bears interest from those dates; and all deposits made on or before the first business day in January, April, July and October, bear interest from those dates respectively.

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Notice of Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the Accounts of the Subscriber, Administrator of Thomas W. Sharp, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Essex, on Monday, the first day of March next.

Dated December 22d, 1885.

LINDLEY F. SHARP.

NEWARK, N. J. Oct. 24, 1885.

IN STATE OF MARYLAND, DECEASED.

Pursuant to Order of JOSEPH L. MUNN, Surrogate of the County of Essex, this day made, on the application of the undersigned Administrator with the Will annexed of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

(Corrected to date.)

Del., Lack. & Western Railroad.

LEAVE BLOOMFIELD FOR NEW YORK:
6.08, 7.19, 7.56, 8.32, 9.19, 10.39, 11.39 A. M. 12.46, 1.45, 2.35, 4.44, 5.29, 6.15, 6.59, 8.20, 9.45, 11.10, P. M., 12.39 A. M.

LEAVE NEW YORK FOR BLOOMFIELD:

(Barclay St. Ferry.)
6.30, 7.20, 8.10, 9.30, 10.30, 11.20 A. M. 12.40, 2.10, 3.40, 4.20, 4.50, 5.30, 6.20, 7.00, 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 P. M.
Does not stop at Newark.
Leave Christopher St. 5 minutes later.

LEAVE NEWARK FOR BLOOMFIELD:

6.40, 7.15, 7.53, 8.43, 10.03, 11.03, 11.53 A. M. 1.13, 2.44, 4.13, 5.26, 6.03, 6.53, 7.40, 9.03, 10.38, 12.08 P. M.

N. Y. & Greenwood Lake R. R.

LEAVE BLOOMFIELD FOR NEW YORK:
5.38, 7.06, 7.59, 8.45, 10.56, A. M. 1.38, 3.51, 4.54, 7.14 P. M. Saturday only, 10.08 P. M.

LEAVE NEW YORK, FOOT OF CHAMBERS ST.:

6.40, 8.50, 12.00, M. 3.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.20, 8.00 P. M. Saturday only, 12.00 P. M.
Sunday Trains: 8.45 A. M. 6.45 P. M.
Sunday Tr. by Orange Branch, 1.30 5.45 6.45 9.15 P. M., stop on Signal.

Connecting Route leave TWENTY-THIRD ST. FERRY 15 minutes earlier than time given for Chambers St.

ORANGE BRANCH TO NEW YORK.

(Stops on Signal, Bloomfield Av. Crossing)
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